

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Examiner: Yusuf, Mohammad I.  
Re: Application of: Stefan Arns  
Application No. 10/562,612  
Filed: 06/09/2006  
For: Device for Controlling the Drawing Process in a Transfer Press  
Art Unit: 4177  
Confirmation No.: 4578

March 16, 2010

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of the original shortened statutory period set in the Office Action of November 27, 2009. Enclosed is a credit card payment in the amount of \$130 in payment of the government fee for a one-month extension of time.

In response to the Office Action of November 27, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.